



## Product Specification

Product Name:

# PORTER'S STONE PAINT

### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:

Porter's Stone Paint is an ideal choice for architectural exteriors, as it provides texture, durability and exceptional colour fade resistance. Stone Paint is absolutely matt, providing a uniform finish that does not age or streak and hides surface imperfections, whilst delivering the appearance of softness that comes with completely matt paints. Stone Paint is available in "Fine" or "Coarse" texture. Stone Paint Fine contains marble dust, creating a fine stone-like finish. Stone Paint Coarse contains particles of graded quartz and has a coarse texture finish similar to cement bagging. This product is UV resistant, dirt resistant with low odour.

### ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION:

This product contains: <5g/L VOC's untinted (Volatile Organic Compounds contribute to atmospheric pollution). (Except Stone Paint Coarse Red base at 14.19g/L and Stone Paint Fine Red base at 16.75g/L, Magenta base at 5.69g/L and Black base at 5.3g/L).

The following descriptors have been adopted by APAS (Australian Paint Approval Scheme):

Very High	>250 g/L
High	100 – 249 g/L
Moderate	50 – 99 g/L
Low	5 – 49 g/L
Very Low	<5 g/L

This product is classified as Very Low VOC\* by the Australian Paint Approval Scheme. \* Stone Paint Coarse Red base is Low VOC. Stone Paint Fine Red, Magenta and Black bases are Low VOC.

Porter's Paints use only premium grade raw materials and wherever possible we buy from Australian suppliers. Our manufacturing processes are designed for maximum performance with minimum impact on the environment and user health.



### LOCATION:

Interior and exterior.

Porter's Stone Paint has met the assessment criteria set by Ecospecifier™ and is therefore eligible for Green Star credits. Please refer to [www.ecospecifier.com.au](http://www.ecospecifier.com.au) for further details.

### **SUGGESTED APPLICATIONS:**

Can be applied to most suitably prepared plasterboard, plaster, wood, masonry and previously painted surfaces.

### **COLOURS:**

Choose from our large range of colours, or ask our colourist for your own custom colour.

### **LIMITATIONS:**

Do not apply in high humidity, below 10°C or above 30°C.

### **PREPARATION:**

#### **NEW/UNPAINTED SUBSTRATES:**

Substrate should be a clean well-held surface free from loose material, dirt, grease, oil and mould. Dust down before proceeding.

On new unpainted plasterboard sheeting, render, brick or timber, spot prime all joints and repaired areas with Porter's Limeproof Undercoat Sealer, then apply two coats of same to entire area.

On new unpainted fresh set plaster do not proceed until plaster has thoroughly set and has dried completely. Firstly, apply 1 coat Porter's Mineral Silicate Primer by brush or roller. Touch

dry 20 minutes. Allow 2 hours dry time. Then apply by brush, roller or spray 1 coat Porter's Limeproof Undercoat Sealer. Touch dry 2 hours. Allow 6 hours dry time.

#### **PREVIOUSLY PAINTED SUBSTRATES:**

Provided the surface is clean and sound, Porter's Stone Paint is self-priming and can be applied directly over previously painted surfaces. (Except oil-based paints or polyurethanes). High gloss paints or varnishes should be sanded to remove gloss and create a "keyed" surface. Previously painted surfaces with loose, peeling or flaking paint must be made sound by scraping off loose paint. Fill nail holes and cracks with suitable filler, sand and dust off. Spot prime all joints and repaired areas with Porter's Limeproof Undercoat Sealer, then apply one coat to entire area. Touch dry 2 hours. Allow 6 hours dry time.

All varnishes, polyurethanes or surfaces previously painted with oil-based enamel paint should be thoroughly sanded to remove gloss and to create a "keyed" surface. Loose, peeling or flaking paint must be made sound by scraping off loose paint. Fill nail holes and cracks with suitable filler, sand and dust off. Spot prime all joints and repaired areas with Porter's Universal Primer, then apply one coat of same to entire area. Touch dry 2 hours. Allow 6 hours dry time between coats and 24 hours dry time.

### **APPLICATION:**

Stir thoroughly prior to use. Apply two coats by brush, or for Stone Paint Fine ONLY, a medium nap roller. For a natural cement-like appearance apply by lime wash brush in a multidirectional manner. Touch dry in 1 hour. Allow minimum 2 hours dry time between coats. Allow 6 hours dry time.

A roller is not recommended for use with Stone Paint Coarse, as roller marks will be evident in the finished result.

#### **COVERAGE RATES:**

Covers approximately 10m<sup>2</sup> per litre, depending upon porosity, surface texture and wastage rates.

#### **WASH UP:**

Water.

#### **COMPLEMENTARY PRODUCTS:**

Porter's Limeproof Undercoat Sealer (coverage 12m<sup>2</sup> per litre) is recommended where an undercoat/primer is required when preparing substrate for painting.

Porter's Universal Primer (coverage 10m<sup>2</sup> per litre).

#### **PACKAGING:**

Porter's Stone Paint is available in 1 litre, 4 litre, 10 litre & 15 litre sizes.

#### **STORAGE:**

Store in a cool dry area, protected from frost.

#### **PRECAUTIONS:**

Keep out of reach of children. Avoid swallowing. Avoid eye contact. Avoid prolonged skin contact. Provide adequate ventilation. If accidental contact occurs, rinse immediately with water. Check colour before use.

#### **WARRANTY:**

**15 YEAR GUARANTEE:** Porter's Paints Stone Paint is guaranteed against peeling, flaking and blistering on external applications for 15 years if applied according to the specified instructions. This guarantee applies to residential work only and does not cover paint failure caused by any breakdown of coatings applied previously, where Porter's Paints Stone Paint is applied over coatings not specified by Porter's Paints or in the event of substrate failure. If the product does not perform as specified, we will replace the goods free of charge.

The warranty above applies for 15 years from the date of purchase. To make a claim under the warranty, please contact Porter's Paints using the details shown and provide details of your claim. You must show proof of purchase and bear all expenses incurred in making a claim. The benefits of this warranty are in addition to other rights and remedies under any applicable law.

Our goods come with guarantees that cannot be excluded under the Australian Consumer Law. You are entitled to a replacement or refund for a major failure and compensation for any other reasonably foreseeable loss or damage. You are also entitled to have the goods repaired or replaced if the goods fail to be of acceptable

quality and the failure does not amount to a major failure.

The information supplied here is in good faith. There are no implied conditions or warranty in the supply of this product. The manufacturer's guarantee is limited to product replacement only and does not include preparation or application.

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